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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>			Docket No. <b>56816-RCE (70868)</b>	
Application No. 10/029,363-Conf. #4327		Filing Date December 20, 2001	Examiner Huber, Paul W.	Art Unit 2653
Applicant(s): Jun Akiyama				
Invention: OPTICAL DISK APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ADJUSTING OPTICAL DISK APPARATUS LASER POWER				
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b>				
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.				
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>				
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate
Total Claims	9	- 20 =		x
Independent Claims	6	- 5 =	1	x 200.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>				
Other fee (please specify): Independent claims in excess of three				200.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:</b>				<b>200.00</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large Entity <input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity				
<input type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for this amendment.				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. <u>04-1105</u> in the amount of \$ <u>200.00</u> . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.				
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.				
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. <u>04-1105</u> as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayment.				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.				
<u>David A. Tucker</u> David A. Tucker Attorney Reg. No.: 27,840			Dated: <u>December 5, 2005</u>	
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<b>Effective on 12/08/2004.</b> <b>Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).</b> <b>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b> <b>For FY 2005</b>		<b>Complete if Known</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Application Number	10/029,363-Conf. #4327	
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT</b>		Filing Date	December 20, 2001	
(\$)		200.00	First Named Inventor	Jun Akiyama
			Examiner Name	Huber, Paul W.
			Art Unit	2653
			Attorney Docket No.	56816-RCE (70868)

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☐ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ None ☐ Other (please identify): \_\_\_\_\_

☒ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 04-1105 Deposit Account Name: Edwards Angell Palmer & Dodge LLP

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☒ Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 ☒ Credit any overpayments

**FEE CALCULATION**

**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
9	- 20 =	x	=			
Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)			
6	- 5 =	1	x 200.00 =			200.00

**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
	- 100 =	/50	(round up to a whole number) x	=

**4. OTHER FEE(S)**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): \_\_\_\_\_

<b>SUBMITTED BY</b>			
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

In response to the Official Action currently outstanding with regard to the above-identified case, which Official Action the Examiner has designated as being FINAL, Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as follows so as to place it in condition for allowance, or at least in better form for Appeal pursuant to 37 CFR 1.116:

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